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ronto Firm Causing Great

Transatlantic Lines Announce a Cut in Rates — Curate Injured.

Fearful Experience of Young Gli Lost In the Woods For

Toronto, Aug. 22.—brown Bros., Limto, stationers, who suffered a loss of a quarter of a million with \$150,000 insurance in the big fire in April, again were burned out in the Queen City curling rink and church fire last night. The curling rink had been in use but three winters and was one of the best in the city. Besides their building the club members lose about \$1,000 worth of curling stones. The schoolhouse of St. Paul's Anglican church was considerably damaged by the flames. The losses

WATCHMAN ELECTROCUTED.

is lingers. He had evidently been elec-ocuted in attempting to reach the

rate cutting to the cabin passengers, the other American and Canadian s are forced to follow: From Mon-1 the first cabin rate is reduced from and upwards to \$50 and \$47.50, second cabin rate is cut from \$37.50 37.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

ASSASSIN REPORTED DEAD.

Newfoundland Fisheries Protection Vessel Strikes the Rocks.

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St. John's, Nild., Aug. 22.—The British gunboat Columbine, one of the vessels of the squadron patrolling the Newfoundland fisheries, struck on a rock today in Snooks arm, Green bay, and it is feared that she will become a total wreck. The whaling vessel Cabola tried to pull the Columbine off the rocks. The gunboat Fantome left here tonight to try to refloat the Columbine, and if that should be found impossible, to save her gear. The Columbine, formerly the Kiarta, is a single screw, seef vessel, and was purchased by the British government in 1897 to assist in the supervision of the fisheries in Newfoundland waters. She has one funnel, is of 260 tons displacement, has an indicated horse power of 200, is 133 feet long and is capble of making nine knots an hour. She was built in 1889.

Saint Alice Natural Mineral

# THE STORMING OF PORT ARTHUR

Russian War Office Hoping Against Hope That Fortress May Be Able to Hold Out in Spite of the Odds Against Them

St. Petersburg, Aug. 22.—The storming of Port Artnur, which the foreign despatches say is progressing, is inviting attention. The brave resistance which General Stoessel is making is evoking high praise, and the war office and public are hoping almost against him loop that he will be able to hold out information and public are hoping almost against him loop that he will be able to hold out information about the sample of the heavy adds against him.

MRS. BOTKIN'S SENTENCE.

THE SOUTH AMERICAN REVOLT

CHINA MUST ASSERT

Meeting of Consuls at Shanghai

Refer Askold Matter

to Pekin.

BOMBARDING SAKHALIAN.

U. S. CONSUL REPORTS.

Representative Victoria Business Men Moving Strongly In the Matter.

putation During His

of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway

several communications between the representative bodies of Victoria, as mentioned, and Mr. Hays on this matter, the local representatives being led to understand that Mr. Hays was much impressed with what had been laid-before him by the Victoria memorialists. Yesterday Mr. Cuthbert telegraphed Mr. Hays as follows:
Charles M. Hays, president Grand Trunk Railway Company, Winnibeg, Man. HER OWN NEUTRALITY

(Signed) HERBERT CUTHBERT.

Consul General Goodnow cabled the state department today from Shanghai, telling of the appearance of a Japanese vessel in the harbor there. He made no mention of the reported action of the American torpedo boat. He also mentions the valuable American property on the docks near where the Russian cruiser Askold is, and also said that the Russian consul general had a few first the state of the consultations of the consultations of the Russian consultations of the consultation of the c

cruiser Askold is, and also said that the Russian consul general had refused to disarm the Askold.

It is asserted positively at the navy department that the American fleet at Shanghai is not charged with the protection of Chinese neutrality by any special instructions. No instructions have been sent to Admiral Stirling to interfere with the action of Japanese vossels.

CENTRE STAR VS. THE UNION.

#### SHOULD INSIST ON OBEDIENCE

Pall Mall Gazette Considers the Powers Should Follow German Example.

London, Aug. 22.—The afternoon papers here take it as granted that if any intervention is necessary at Shanghai the powers will act together in upholding the neutrality of China, especially against both beligerents.

The Westminster Gazette says: "If the American government will lead the way in this matter it will be doing a service to all the governments, for it is high time that the neutral powers came to an understanding about the limit of

## All Eyes Are Now on China

Great Britain Unwilling to Take Lead in Insisting on Nuetrality.

Russia Claims Japan's Example For Using Chefoo as a Base.

Germany and France Likely to Insist on Compliance of Russia.

London, Aug. 22.—Interest in London day centered at Shanghai, where British interests are strongly appearing for protection. Great Britain, however, would prefer that the United States take the initiative in maintaining the neutrality of China, Great Britain's position as the any of Japan massing her situation denerate unless her interests are directly menaced. It is true, the officials says, that Great Britain agreed to the principle of the neutrality of China, but she did not agree to enforce it. Throughout the discussion relative to the Askoid and the Grosovoi, she had thus far held to the view that it is none of her business and the extent Great Britain has gone to has been to point out to China the importance of maintaining her neutrality by which every behigerent is antected. The British interests are strongly appealing her neutrality, thereby establish

must put to sea can be determined. I is further claimed that should the Ask old and Grozovoi go to sea, they hav the right to leave together and not necessarily separately.

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In German diplomatic circles here it is understood that Berlin will support the United States in insisting on the neutrality or China, and France, it is believed, is also likely to do so.

The neutrality or China has obscured for the moment the negotiations between Great Britain and Russia regarding the sinking of the British steamer Knight Commander by the Vladivostock squadron and the wider controversy on the subject of contraband of war. The British government is confident, however, from information received through Ambassador Hardinge, that these matters will be amicably settled, possibly by a compromise.

THE COTTON CRISIS.

Cambridge, Eng., Aug. 22.—The most interesting matter before the British association today was a discussion of the cotton crisis. Premier Balfour, president of the association, participated. He said he feared gambling intutures could not be stopped, but an extension in cotton cultivation would remedy the difficulties the cotton mills were experiencing.

ATTEMPT FAILED.

Endeavor to Swim English Ch Again Proves Unsuccessful.

Dover, England, Aug. 22.—Holbien abandoned the attempt to swim the Channel after having been in the water ten hours and twenty minutes. At 9:30 o'clock tonight he was six miles out from his starting point and was making good headway.

Haggarty was seized with cramps an hour and a half after he started, and was taken from the water in a state of collapse. He said the water was too cold for him.

ISER ASKOLD

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Greasly announces that, owing to the low temperature of the water he will start tomorrow morning.

correspond to hold such a meeting on Thursday afternoon as eagerly as the members of the city council had done, the telegram from Mr. Hays arriving too late for him to make a personal can rass of the members of the control of the c

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# Dominion **News Notes**

Fire Again Visits a Stricken To

Several Days.

FATAL DRUNKEN QUARREL

CUT ATLANTIC RATES

Winnipeg, Aug. 22.—The wife of a cetion man named Wheeler committed uicide at Cowan.

Two children of Joseph Collins of the wo children of Joseph Collins of the sion near Fort William disappeared Monday. The family were camping seven miles from the mission, and girl fifteen years old and a boy dive years old, were picking berries he bush and lost their way. On Frithe girl found her way home after ag out night and day in the bush me Monday. She is seriously ill mexposure and being without food. search party is out for the boy.

Pittsburg, Aug. 22.—The amalgamated society of iron, steel and tin workers yesterday declared a strike against the Carnegie Steel Company, to go into effect Monday.

Durban, Aug. 22.—The English steamer Comedian, from Liverpool July 24, arrived here today and reported that she was stopped by a Russian converted cruiser yesterday off the mouth of Basho river, in the southeastern part of Cape Colony After the Comedian's papers had been examined, she was allowed to proceed.

COLUMBINE ASHORE.

Water

# The Grand Trunk Pacific Terminus

Spperior Court Judge Carroll Cook to life imprisonment in the state prison at San Quentin for murder of Mrs. John P. Dunning in Dover, Del., by means of poisoned candy mailed from this city.

In passing sentence, Judge Cook expressed regret that he could not imposs the death penalty, as the jury in its verdict had fixed the punishment. Mrs. Botkin received the sentence without evidence of emotion. An appeal to the Supreme court will be taken by her attorney.

President Hays Will Meet a De-Visit.

About eighteen months ago, when Mr. Herbert Cuthbert, secretary of the Paraguayan Repeis Deteat the Government Forces.

Buenos Ayres, Aug. 22.—An artillery engagement has been fought between the San Jocomino battery of the Paraguayan army, and a body of revolutionists, in which the latter succeeded in dislodering the guns of the government forces. The losses on either side are not stated. There has been no bombardment of Asuncion since last reports. The insurgents have established a provisional government with capital at Villa Del Pilar (112 miles from Asuncion), and have nominated Ferreira, the leader, for president, and Gonzales Novro for vice-president. Four secretaries also have been named. One of these, Deput Soler, has started for Rio Janeiro and other capitals to endeavor to secure the recognition of the revolutionists as beligements by the various governments. This is taken to indicate that rapid operations by the insurgents have been impeded through the non-bombardment of the capital, owing to the intervention of the diplomatic corps at Asuncion. Despair is felt in the Victoria Tourist Association, returned from Montreal, a meeting was held at the Parliament buildings. Those pres ent included representatives of the city council, Board of Trade and the Tour-ist Association, who met with the mempers of the legislature.

Jarles M. Hays, Trunk Railway Company, Winni-peg, Man. Re previous correspondence referring to legislation as to western terminus, and deputation in Victo legislation as to western terminus could you meet a deputation in Vic-toria?

To this telegram came a prompt reply from the president of the Grand Trunk Railway, as follows:
Herbert Cuthbert, Victoria, B. C.
Message received. Will be glad to meet yourself and deputation in Victoria before returning East, and will advise you definitely later on as to the date.

to take the independent step of entering the harbor and seizing the two vessels. The attitude of M. Odagir was warlike and uncompromising.

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BOMBARDING SAKHALIAN.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 22.—The Emperor has received a report, dated yesterday, from the Russian commandant at Korsakovsk, Island of Sakhallan, as follows: "Since 7 o'clock this morning the enemy has bombarded Korsakovsk. A few houses have been destroyed. One of the enemy's ships appeared on the horizon about 6 o'clock in the morning, approached within five and a quarter miles of the slore and bombarded Korsakovsk until 8:15 o'clock, when the vessel turned and disappeared. The damage done to the town was quite inconsiderable. There were no casualties.

upon the right of the two Russian war ships in question to remain and repair damages.

A suggestion was made by the British consul to refer the entire matter to Pekin and was adopted. In the meantime the work on the Askold is to cease for forty-eight hours and no further steps are to be taken by the consuls, who will await instructions from their respective governments. It was unanimously decided by the consuls that China cannot shirk her responsibilities as a neutral state by handing this matter over to the consuls for adjustment. Neither Rear-Admiral Stirling, U. S. N. nor the consul general have been instructed by Washington as to what course to pursue. Consul Goodnow has done his utmost to bring about a peaceful settlement and he has the full confidence of the foreign residents in the matter of protecting the settlements in case the Japanese should attack the Askold and Grozvoi. The British fleet is expected to return here tomorrow. Washington, D. C., Aug. 22.—United States Consul General Goodnow cabled the state department today that the conference of foreign consuls at Shanghai, which adjourned this morning, was resumed in the afternoon. After a good deal of discussion no solution was offered for the present condition of affairs and it was suggested that each consul report directly to his own government asking what should be done, if anything. Mr. Goodnow had no suggestions to offer to the state department. He has been given instructions, which it is believed, will prevent the United States from being entangled in the settlement of the question of China's neutrality at Shanghai.

### Advice to Visitors

Don't Leave Victoria Without Seeing the Naval Station at Esquimalt, Beacon Hill Park and the Magnificent Scenery at Oak Bay. Cars run to all

B. C. Electric Railway Co., Ltd.

A. T. Goward, Manager.

# Of Port Arthur

With Defenders

**Events Inside the Lines** of Fortress.

Repulsed By Russians at Bayonets' Point.

Liaoyang, Aug. 22.—The following is supplied by a Russian correspondent of the Associated Press: "With each additional report from Port Arthur wonder increases both at the persistence of the Japanese attack and the heroic stubbornness of the defenders of the fortress. The Japanese are literally throwing away thousands of lives in the hope of shaking the courage of the Russian troops. General Fock says he is confident that the fortress cannot be taken, but if it is taken the whole Japanese army will have to immolate itself upon the slopes of the fortifications.

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pon the slopes of the fortifications. There were five desperate assaults on treen's hill July 26th, the Japanese reurning each time with apparently insklaustible reinforcements. On the nal assault, however, the Japanese roke badly, throwing away their guns, artridge belts and even their boots to neilitate their flight, and leaving seven housand dead or wounded.

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"Our surgeous worked heroically, par-tially aiding Japanese and Russians. The Japanese were so touched that they tearfully thanked the Russian surgeons. "The assault on Green's hill was re-peated on July 27th and there were frequent hand-to-hand encounters, the Russians leaving the trenches to follow their enemies.

"The assaults of July 28th and July 29th on Wolf Hill were not followed up, the Japanese being too severely shaken. We evacuated Wolf hill chiefly for strategical reasons, as the hills made the line of defences too long to effectually withstand the furious attacks of the Japanese.

the Japanese.

"The assault of July 30th was made in the darkness of the night in the hope of surprising the Russians. Sixty thousand men were hurled against our thirteen thousand, but we drove them back again and again at the point of the bayonet. It was another Shipka pass. The Japanese poured in fresh battations and the slopes were covered with alead and dying and literally ran with blood. Our Thirteenth regiment was forced from its position, but the Fourteenth regiment came up and with the bayonet again dislodged the victors.

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teenth regiment came up and with the bayonet again dislodged the victors.

"As near as can be ascertained this assault cost the Japanese 10,000 men.

"The Japanese losses since the seige began have been 28,000 men. The explosion of one mine wiped out 500. This was an awful scene. A volcano of stones dismembered the bodies of the soldiers, while the sky lit up with a purple glare and the mud walls of the Chinese village were thrown down by the shock. After this fight General Stoessel collected 20,000 Japanese rifles. "The Japanese had twenty siege guns on Wolf's Hill August 1st. Four of these are 12-inch guns. They have not yet reached our shore batteries, which are still out of range, but they have damaged the dry docks and the railway station. The Japanese are maping out the town by sections for the purposes of bombardment, and they are assisted in this task by a Chinese engineer, who recently deserted to them. The Japanese fire an average of 100 shells daily and hight."

#### GENERAL STOESSEL SAYS FAREWELL

Commander Takes Leave of Friend As Port Arthur Is to



### Very Adverse **Balance of Trade**

Russian Correspondent Relates Dominion Trade Returns Show Immense Falling of In Exports.

Persistent Attacks of Japanese And a Still Larger Increase In Imports-U. S. Trade a

### Hon. Prefontaine At Nanaimo

Address Presented to the Minis. ter By Citizens of the Coal

Promises Scientific Investigation of Coast Fisheries and More Lights.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Nanaimo, B. C., Aug. 22.—D. G. S.
Quadra stemmed into harbor this morning. On board was the Hon, Raymond Prefontaine, minister of marine and fisheries, who was making a special trip here from Vancouver. A number of leading citizens, forming a reception committee, boarded the Quadra as she dropped her anchor. These were: His Worship Mayor Manson, Ralph Smith, M. P., W. W. B. McInnes, M. P. P., His Honor Judge Harrison, Magistrate Yarwood; J. H. Cocking, president of the board of trade; T. B. Stockett, general manager of the Western Fuel Company; T. R. Russell, superintendent of the W. F. Company, and the Rev. G. W. Taylor, secretary of the farmers' institute.

Escorted by the local party, the min-

Escorted by the local party, the minister came ashore and went up to the court house, where an informal public reception was held. The following address was presented:

From Our Own Correspondent.

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Ottawa, Aug. 22.—Trade returns by countries for the fiscal year ended Jung 30, 1904, just issued, show a decline of over twelve millions in total exports and an increase of over \$17,000,000 in imports. The exports to Great Britain described and the second states increased \$2,500,000. Exports to the States increased \$2,500,000. Exports to the States increased mearly a million and a half, while the imports increased \$2,500,000. Exports to the States increased mearly a million and a half, while the imports increased \$2,500,000. Exports to the States increased mearly a million and a half, while the imports increased \$2,500,000. Exports to the States increased mearly a million and a half, while the imports increased \$2,500,000. Exports to the States increased mearly a million and a half, while the imports increased \$2,500,000. Exports to the States increased mearly a million and a half, while the imports increased \$2,500,000. Exports to the States increased mearly a million and a half, while the imports increased \$2,500,000. Exports to the States increased mearly a million and a half, while the imports increased \$2,500,000. Exports to the States increased \$2,500,000. Exports to the States increased mearly a million and a half, while the imports increased \$2,500,000. Exports to the States increased \$2,500,000. Exports to the States in this province for the propagation of salmon river and lakes a mounted to \$4,701,201, being nearly \$200,000 in excess of the expenditure. The bounding of the same month of last year the revenue was \$5,146,303, and the expenditure \$2,654,576. It will be noticed that there is a slight falling off due to a reduction in the excise reports.

The authority given to Captain P. H. Horvood to create a reservoir by the ercetion of Carmack's Forks with Bonauza creek may not be interfered with. No portion of the dime of the shareholders of the Grand Frink Pacific has been called at Moutreal for Tuesday. September 10th, for the election of dir

DISAPPOINTED AT

DECISION OF U.S.

Russians Regret Stand Taken
By America in China's
Neutrality.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 23.—(2:15 a. m.)
—The news that the navy department to the country, and consequently that is imperatively necessary that it should we would recommend to your favorable consideration of the neutrality of China or to in any way interfere with the protection of the neutrality of China or to in any way interfere with the protection of the neutrality of China or to in any way interfere with the earlier reports had been received.

Nevertheless the question relative to the cruiser Askold and the torpedo boat armed, the admiralty having decided to the armed, the admiralty having decided to the armed, the admiralty having decided that it would be suicidal to send them out against the capture of the Ryeshitelni at Chefoo, and the latter does not necessarily anticipate a reply. The government will hold Japan responsible for referes. The statement issued by the government at Tokio, the authorities claim does not meet the issue. They cannot believe Japan has seriously set up the contention that the Ryeshitelni was fully armed with even her small arms and men when they had been taken off.

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thirty minutes before a large mass of coal fell, killing his son. The stall was well-timbered. Inspector Shepherd, who exhibited a very complete plan of the scene of the accident, said he estimated the fallen coal at 4,800 pounds. No other, witnesses were called, and the jury, who had previously viewed the place where the deceased was killed, the place where the deceased was killed, the death was entirely accidental and that the management was entirely exonerated from blame.

Dr. Reynolds of Vancouver has taken premises at Ladysmith and will shortly commence to issue a newspaper there. It will at figure he will be tried on a charge of vance.

commence to issue a newspaper there, rape. It will at first be published as a week-

It will at first be published as a weekly.

Mr. T. Grahame, formerly underground manager at the Fernie collicries, has arrived here to take a śmilar position under the Western Fuel Company. Superintendent Russell, who has resigned, leaves at the end of the month and will reside in Victoria. Arrangements are being made to give a hanquet in his honor before his departure. He was in charge of the mines here for five years and prior to that managed the Union Collicries for the Dunsmuirs.

Master Gerald Davis, son of Dr. Davis, takes the Governor-General's medal this year. He passed the entrance examination in December and obtained more marks than any other pupil either then or in June.

Mr. Joseph M. Brown, of this city, is in receipt of the splendid gold medal, the third only of its kind issued by the Royal City Agricultural Society, for a watch movement made by him, and exhibited at New Westminster last year.

RECKLESS AND WANTON.

Sinking Steamer Alpeans.

Shanghai, Aug. 22.—Evidence given before a naval court today shows the shelling and sinking of the steamer Hipsang off Pigeon bay July 16th by the Rusians to have been a reckless and wanton act. No provocation for the act had been given. She was on her regular course from New Chwang to Chefoo, and her lights were burning brightly. The Europeans and sixty-nine of the Chinese were saved uninjured. Nine Chinese were wounded and three to the course billad on heard the vessel. Nine Chinese were wounded an were killed on board the vessel.

### Many Medicos At Vancouver

Three Carloads of Delegates to Medical Convention Reach Terminal City,

Estimate Shows Huge Loss to Government in Royaltics on limber Burnt.

From Our Own Correspondent

Vancouver, Aug. 22.—Three carloads of doctors arrived today for Tuesday's convention, and the remainder are expected to arrive tomorrow. Among the noted visitors are Dr. Mayo-Robson, of London, Eng., and Dr. C. H. Mayo, of Kochester; Dr. Oviale, of Oshkosh, Wis, and Dr. Ovialt, well known throughout the East. The committee of medical men were busy today's finding rooms for the visitors in the hotels and private houses.

There are still serious reports up the

There are still serious reports up the coast from forest fires. The fires have

mated loss \$4,000.

Camp "F" of the B. C. Mills, Timber and Trading Company, was also endangered. The flames cut out across the railroad and skid road and cut of the main equipment from the shore. A train was made up and the donkey engine taken to the shore through the binging timbers.

casy and safe navigation.

We would also draw your attention to the fact that a coal mine has lately been opened up near Departure bay, where extensive wharves have been erected, and that very shortly it will be come a shipping point of great importance. We would, therefore, request that you cause an inspection of this harbor to be made with a view to the placing of serious plants and buoys.

Trusting that the matters briefly referred to herein may receive the earnest consideration of yourself and the government, and wishing you a pleasant and safe journey home,

WM. MANSON,

Mayor,
S. GOUGH,
City Clerk,
J. H. COCKING,
Pres, Board of Trade,
GEO, L. SCHLETKY,
See, Board of Trade.
Mr. Prefontaine replied expressing his pleasure at visiting Xnamimo for the first time and his appreciation of the cyrdial reception accorded him.

In the course of his remarks Mr. Prefontaine made a distinct promise of acceding to one request which should result to the material advantage not only of Namimo, but the coast generally.

This was a scientific investigation of the fishery resources, which he said would be undertaken on a more compressing that a sixteen-year-old girl into Can
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H. D. Gates, the Tacoma man who brought a sixteen-year-old girl into Canada for improper purposes, again came up for a hearing, but was remanded to give an opportunity to the Tacoma authorities to take Gates to Tacoma. The Tacoma police believe that they could make an example of Gates as a lesson to evil-doers of the same stripe, which are becoming too numerous in Washington State. In Tacoma a life sentence is the limit of punishment for the offence

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WHITLEY-At Chilliwack, on August 17 the wife of Thos. R. Whitley, of

HART—At Revelstoke, on August 7, the wife of T. Hart, of a son. PURVIS—At Revelstoke, on August 13, the wife of J. P. Purvis, of a daughter.

MARRIED. OSTERMAN-KENDALL — At Fairview, Vancouver, on August 17, by Rev. Mr. Antie, Charlie G. Osterman and Ethel Winnifred Kendall.

ROBINSON-JACKSON—At Revelstoke, on August 15, by Rev. C. H. M. Suther-land, J. R. Robinson and Mrs. A. J. Jackson.

DIED.

GRAHAM—On the 20th Inst., at Van Anda., B. C., Alexander H. Graham, aged 33 years, and a native of Bruce county, Ont. The funeral will take place today

at 2 p. m. from the residence of his sister MOONEY-At Illecillewaet, on August ( Anthony R. J. Mooney, aged 7 years.

HANBURY—At Revelstoke, on August 16 the Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Han bury, aged 3 months. CASHATO—At Revelstoke, on August 16, the Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cashato.

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Will the many friends please accept my most sincere thanks for their kind attentions to my late departed husband, David Allen Fleming, during his long illness, and for the many expressions of sympathy shown me during my bereavement. I wish to thank those who sent flowers and the Musiclans' Mutual Protective Union, Local No. 247, A. F. of M., for their attendance and music furnished at the funeral services.

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#### More Water

Board of Fire Underwriters Urge Activity on the Part of City Council.

#### Lumber Yards on Yates Street Give the Aldermen Subject For Discussion

Outside of the transacting of a quantity of routine business, the one matter of special interest dealt with at yesterday evening's meeting of the council was a letter from the board of fire underwriters urging activity on the part of the civic authorities in the matter of arranging for a more adequate supply of water. In the opinion or the board, the time is favorable to secure the passage

and all the aldermen were present.
The secretary of the Vancouver Island
Board of Fire Underwriters wrote as
follows:

Glows:

Gentlemen—The fire of the 9th Instant must have fully demonstrated to all the bisolute-need of larger mains and of infreased pressure. Another matter not so fully apparent to the public, but of great importance, is the need of a duplicate map at the pumping station. Experience is shown that conflagrations occur when hrough some breakdown in the system capply, the brigade cannot cope with an authorisk that under ordinary chreumstances could be subdued. Another pump, to be used when the present one is out of working order, would, in our opinion, be of great benefit, and would count in favor of the city in fire ratings.

The board would also respectfully impress mon you the need of replacing the 4,5 and 5-inch, the standard size required for the mercantile districts by the underwriters of the Pacific Coast.

We cannot regard any system as perfect which involves cutting off the watersupply from the high levels when a seriest which involves cutting off the watersupply from the high levels when a seriest which involves cutting off the watersup growing and valuable portion of the town entirely without protection.

We therefore respectfully urge upon your honorable body the need of an improved system of water supply, that the time is favorable to secure the passing of a bylaw of a liberal and comprehensive nature, and that this board will cooperate with you and assist in every possible way in any effort you may make to improve the freshelding facilities of this city.

J. G. ELLHOTT,

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The Home committee recommended that Wm. Watt be admitted to the Old Men's Home. Adopted.

The streets committee recommended proceeding with the work of extending Birdeage walk as a work of local improvement; that a portion of the sidewalk on Cedar Hill road, recently destroyed by fire, be replaced and that a brick barn situated on lot 22, Mary street, be removed.

The report was adopted.

Ald. Oddy asked that steps be taken to protect the city's rights as to the north end of Menzies street. He noticed that the C. P. R. had put a plank walk down there.

The mayor explained that the matter was receiving the attention of himself and the city solicitor.

Replying to a query from Ald. Fell, the mayor explained that the house of ill-fame on Kane street, about which complaint had been made, would be closed, instructions to that effect having been issued.

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#### . NEWS OF THE DAY AT LADYSMITH

Funeral of Late John Haddon on Sunday - Shipping of the Port.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ladysmith, Aug. 22.—The funeral of the late James Haddon, who was killed at the Extension mines on Thursday morning, took place yesterday, the remains being conveyed to Nanaimo for interment. The funeral was one of the largest ever held in Ladysmith, this being due to the popularity of the deceased and the high cacem in which lie and his family are held in this district. The Ladysmith City band headed in mournful procession from the house to the station, and the members of Danon Lodge, No. 8, K. of P., also turned out to a man to show their respect in their denarted brother. The Rev. Mr. Boye, Ladysmith, conducted the service at the grave, which was a most solenn one. The deceased, who was

a native of Lanarkshire, Scotland, was of years of age, and leaves a young widow to mourn his loss.

A lecture on Socialism was given on the Pavilion green yesterday aftermoon by E. T. Kingsley, but he had a very small audience, due, in a measure, to the funeral or James Haddon at Nanaimo.

Young Episcopalian Miss

naimo.

The members of the Presbyterian Sunday school had their annual pienic on Saturday, the place selected for the outing being Chemanus river. Those who did take in the trip had a most enjoyable day and returned home on the evening train well pleased with themselves. evening train well pleased with themselves.

The steamer Wyefield completed loading her cargo of coal and sailed yesternay morning for San Francisco.

The steamship Tellus arrived from San Francisco yesterday morning and is now taking on coal.

The five-masted schooner Snow and Burgess left with about 2,000 tons of sacked coal for Nome on Saturday.

Sacked coal for Nome on Saturday,
The Rev. J. C. Herdmun, D. D., Calgary, preached at the Presbyterian
church last evening.
School commences today in Ladysmith
after the summer vacation.

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The secretary of the Tourist Association asked if it was not possible to provide more lights on Wharf street, and that the roads leading to the outer wharf be sprinkled better. Referred for report.

The same writer asked for permission to place seats along Dallas road. Request granted, subject to approval of park committeee.

The secretary of the provincial board of health requested that regulations respitting be framed and posted in conspictions places. Referred to chief of police with power to act.

H. A. Ross called attention to the misghtly condition of Upper Kingston street, James bay. Referred to streets committee.

T. S. Bales complained of his right of-way leading to the Star shipyard being cut off.

Ald. Vincent explained that it was a matter to do with the Indian reserve. Received and filed.

P. T. Johnson asked for a position on the clerical staff of the Carnegie library, Received and filed.

P. T. Johnson asked for the continuation of a sidewalk on the north side of Fourth street. Referred to the engineer for report.

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# ARCTIC REGIONS

Young Episcopalian Missionary Displays Bravery During Diptherla Outbreak.

Dawson, Aug. 7 .- Alone and on the edge of the Arctic wilderness, a woman lemic of diphtheria that has sprea mong the tribe of Indians at Fort Yu on and carried away twenty-two of the nembers. The heroine is Miss Wood

Circle City.

Miss Wood heroically went down the Yukon river in a small boat with a meagre supply of drugs, and alone con

meagre supply of drugs, and alone confronted the awful epidemic. Sixty-five lill-clad, poorly fed and sick Indians, of little knowledge of English, awa.c., her tender mercies.

Miss Wood scarcely had located in the midst of the Indians when she was taken down with the dread disease. She was intensely sick three days, but by precaution in use of antiseptics, she fought the disease much better than otherwise. She was well nourished and soon was able to administer at all the sick about her and do a great deal toward relieving the situation.

Rev. Wooden, the missionary at Fort

Instantaneous success marked the production of that sensational border drama, "The Dalton Boys," in two destricts, from the pen of Geoi. W. Milton, at the Savoy, last night, There is plenty of excitement and thrills in it and never for a moment does the Interest flag. The performance has won the approval of all who visited the Savoy last evening. The Buckeye trio, in their langipproducing specialty entitled "A. Trampy producing specialty entitled "A. Trampy producing specialty entitled "A. Trampy succeeding specialty entitled "A. Trampy strike out into new fields of comedy, Groett and Summers are a pair of chies oubrettes who wear pretty costumes and sing catchy songs.

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GOLDSTREAM NEW

At the beginning the Indians became ilarmed and some scattered and took the disease up the Porenpine river. Two or three deaths occurred on the Porcu-juntree.

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The dead line at Fort Yukon was ell out from the stores, and Miss Wood

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No anti-toxin has been taken to the place, and it is not likely that any will go at this late date. All who died, with two or three exceptions, were children. Capt. John Fussel, of the steamer Oil City, which arrived today from St. Michael, brings the report that the diphtheria epidemic at Fort Yukon is not at an end, Twenty-two deaths had occurred up to Sunday, when the boat was opposite Fort Yukon. The captain says that the American government should certainly do something to provide for quick treatment of epidemics among the Indians or others along the river. The revenue cutter and other steamers which are supposed to patrof the government, are not known to have been near Fort Yukon.

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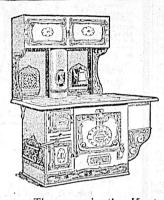
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#### THE CASE SHOULD BE STATED.

We do not presume that any person will be seriously influenced by statements persistently made to the effect that the McBride Government do now or ever did propose to offer unsolicited a large land grant to the Grand Trunk Pacific in connection with the construction of the line through British Co-We do not presume that even the most innocent of readers in the matters of politics would imagine that the members of the administration contemplated committing suicide, however anxious they might be to make themselves "good fellows" with the promoters of the railway in question. They are probably in as good a position as any others to know the temper of the people of the Province. Still less would it be probable, since we have had the solemn assurance of a Minister of the Crown, that the construction of the new and proceed simultaneously eastward to meet the line from Winnipeg, that they would persist in thrusting a bonus on the company having that purpose in view. The suggestion is so childish as to be absolutely inconceivable as the

If it were possible for any person to tionately than the other provinces. The believe such a statement to be true, it rates then of contribution to the Treastimes that the names of these mysterious "delegates" or "emissaries," as that would be changed. But the experious that would be changed. But the experious that would be changed. they are otherwise referred to, should be reace of the past thirty years has only gone to confirm the wisdom of Dr. Helmeken, who was the chief advocate volved. Those who desire to leave a certain impression on the public should of potentiality has remained a permanent have the moral courage to be open and nent factor, and instead of today ha administration the way to do it is to state all the circumstances and establish them by proof.

### THE PROSPECTS OF AN ELEC-

The Eastern Canadian papers are just now discussing the question of an early election. That is to say, the independent and Liberal-Conservative papers use. The Liberal research is a sufficient papers use. The Liberal research is a sufficient papers use. The Liberal research is a sufficient papers use. The Eastern Canadian papers are pers are. The Liberal papers are ominously silent on the subject. The opinion seems to be pretty general that an election will be held this fall, not, perhaps, as a matter of inclination on the part of the Government, but as a matter of necessity. The Government at Ottawa is no longer its own master. It is controlled by the Grand Trunk Pacific. On account of the feeling over the Dundonald dismissal the Government would undoubtedly, prefer to postpone the elections until next year, in order which its important material interests that the affair might blow over. This in fairness demand. the ranway company objects to most strenuously, as it wants the election over as soon as possible, otherwise the promoters will refuse to put money up for eampaign funds, which is a most important matter for the success of the Liberals. Quebec, too, is a factor to be dealt with. The people of that province want to see the railway work start, ed without delay. Quebec will probably be the pivotal point in the election, not only on account of the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific, but on account, of Sir Wilfrid Laurier himself. He is the natural leader of the French Canadians. A desperate ap for campaign funds, which is a most

peal will be made to the Province to re-turn him again, and it is being represented that this will be probably his last time to come before the people of Canada as Premier. His health is not so strong or so good as to warrant the expectation that he can long withstand the worries and strain of political life. prefer to retire and devote himself to certain literary pursuits that are congenial to him. As will be seen by the extracts published elsewhere there is already great political activity in the Province of Quebec, The Premier and the other members naturally desire to have a short vacation after a hard session, but as soon as a reasonable rest and an election at an early date an nounced. Everything points to this. The Liberals do not desire a long campaign. Trunk Pacific and large surpluses to do the work for them. Fortune has favored them exceedingly in all these respects. So far as their own acts are concerned confidence of the electors of Canada. They have been corrupt in the extreme, they have been extravagant beyond the bounds of anything known in the history of the country, and they have violated in practice every political principle they cunuciated while in Opposition.

### THE UNIT OF REPRESENTATION.

An interesting point has been raised by Mr. Pugsley, Attorney-General of New Brunswick, in connection with the case of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, which are fighting against the Dominion House of Commons. He gives a long interview in the St. John Daily Telegraph in which the arguments are set forth and an indication is given ment of the B. N. A. Act. It is not, however, to that particular feature of the case that we wish to refer. Mr. Pugsley in the course of his interview, said incidentally that another very important aspect of the question had been rought out by reason of the arguments before the court, and that was in regard to the legislation passed by the Provinces of Quebec and Ontario. This was, he said, provided for by an act of the Imperial Parliament, passed in 1871, subsequent to the British North America act, and pursuant to the authority thereby given, the Parliament extended the boundaries of both Quebec and Ontario to James' Bay. The result of this has been to add 117,000 square miles to the area of Quebec—a vast section three times the size of the Province of New Brunswick added to the province which is made by the British North American Act the unit of representation. Mr. Pugsley con-

of representation. Ar. Fugsey concludes:

"If, as is no doubt the case, the population of the added territory of Quebec forms part of the province for the purposes of representation, and Quebec, as so enlarged, is only to have sixty-five representatives, the result of this will be to before very long greatly increase the unit of representation beyond what it would have been if the area of Quebec had remained as it was at the time of the union. This will operate most prejudicially to the other provinces, so far as their representation is concerned, and under the terms of the Imperial, statute, authorizing such enlargement, prevision should, in my opinion, have been made by the Parliament of Canada to prevent such injustice resulting to the other provinces.
"It is not unlikely that the subject will come up for consideration in the ways fetting."

will come up for consideration in the near future."

We are glad to see some of the other provinces awakening to the necessity for a general revision of the Terms of same expression of opinion on the part Union. This is only a sample of the of any one. We only refer to it for the cases in which inequality exists. It is of any one. We only refer to it for the purpose of calling attention to a statement that "the influence of the unseen was so potent that delegates were au-Columbia. Perhaps no other province thorized long before Mr. Hays and his suffers so much, in the point of proper colleagues left for the West with pistols representation, from the "unit" basis as in their hands to approach the magnates and inquire the extent of the subsidies 1871. At the time of Confederation it in land and the nature of the conces- was strongly held that from the pecusions they would require. We make liar conditions existing here we should this statement knowing it to be a fact." have a larger representation proporwould be a serious allegation. As it is ury per head of population was three an allegation of fact, it is worthy of to one as compared with Ontario and consideration and investigation. We do Quebec, and it was pointed out that porot believe in innuculous in matter in-tentially we should be rated in represen-volving the honor of a government, tation as having three times the popula-They are cowardly. They either tion we actually had. It was thought, should not be made at all, or the facts however, by the framers of the Terms upon which they are based should be of Union that as time went on and the stated openly. We have asked several whole of Canada developed that condithey are otherwise referred to, should be lence of the past thirty years has only above board. If the intention is to do serious injury to the present provincial House of Commons we should have from eighteen to twenty-one. To illus-trate this more definitely, taking 1903 as the basis of comparison the total taxation of all Canada was figures \$49,000,000. Now, had the whole of Canada contributed in the same ratio as British Columbia, with its six mem-

> turn was the saine; but it is not.
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> Taking Quebec as the unit of representation in the sixty-five members a more rapid its increase of population, and its population is increasing rapidly, the more difficult will it be for a growing province like British Columbia to be represented in anything like the ratio in fairness demand.

> to emphasize the injustice of the present relations as fixed by the Terms of Union. This would not be so bad, it

the proportion of appropriations in re-

#### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

CARELESS CAMPERS.

of the bush. Can nothing be done to enforce the law relating to bush fires? The Tourist Association and the Hudson's Bay Company are both interested in preserving the natural beauty of this place, and could probably move the provincial police authorities to patrol the Arm and bring the offenders to justice. Printed notices placed in the boat houses in Victoria warning the public of the consequences of starting bush fires and of the fact that a constable is on duty, would tend to make people exercise a little more thought and care in this respect.

The Philippines Camp, Craigilowe

EUROPE'S DEBT TO RUSSIA "OF WOE"

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Sir—On reading an article in your Sunday's issue entitled, "Europe's debt to Russia," one is inclined to smile, but when on noting that the article is written by so great a man as Captain Cilves Phillipps-Woiley, the smile give place to feelings of wonder and dread—aread lest the old Brit lish boast, that "Honor, bravery and ability should have its just dues," is giving place to race hatred.

The most conpicuous argument that he uses to how the benefits that Russia has bestowed on civilization is a trade against the Japs and the colored men of the United States. As is usual with the author in his speeches and writings, he must remind his friends that he is a pugilist, and that the law is the only protection that one has, who is foolish enough to disagree with him. But probably he is like the Russians, whom he champions. They told the world the same story, but the Japs have called their bluff.

He goes back to the days of Ghengis Khan to show that Russia was the buffer that saved Europe. He falls to mention Polish mathonal destruction, Finnish atrocities, Kishineff massacres, Jewisn mur ders, the icad mine for honorable political opponents.

Who has forgotten the 5,000 Boxer prisoners drove at the point of the bayonet into the river?

Capt. Wolley sets himself up in judgment against the best mind of the British Empire, who has ever had that bogy of the creeping Bear to deal with. They would restrict Russia as an ever-present evil and a menace to the peace of the world. Capt. Wolley lauds them to the skies.

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In his tirade against the Japs he falls to tell us that he is amongst the bravest, most home-loving, patriotic, intelligent men in the world today. Fifty years ago he was a heathen; now he is acknowl edged by British, American, French and German authorlites to be in the fore front in military performances, surgery, physical culture and in every art that has come to notice in the last few months. The author is pleased to huri ridicule at the colored men of the South. He forgets to say that 40 years ago he was in slavery; now he has colleges, seminaries, etc. They have been in the senate, house of representatives. Has Capt. Wolley ever attained that honor? Will he ever?

He says they are still niggers. Is this the language of an aspiring poet laureate or that of the slums? Is it the language of a gentleman of culture? Methinks not. Do you think that Booker Washington or his educated associates would condescend to use such terms? In using such language does Capt. Wolley place himself on a higher or lower plane than Admiral Torgo or Fred Douglass?

Britishers have always said "Let the best man win." Capt. Wolley proudly says he would rather see the worst of men win, if he has to the set the best of men win if he is otherwise in color. Is this sportsmanlike? Is it British fair play?

He mentions Christianity. Is this her teaching? Does it not say that God Is no respecter of persons, and that a man should be judged by his inward and not his entward self?

He would have us believe that Russia is justified in subjugating Siberia, stealing Manchuria, and threatening Japan at her view does, and that the Japa are monsters for protesting, simply because the Russia is justified in subjugating Siberia, stealing Manchuria, and threatening Japan at her view doors, and that the Japa are monsters for protesting, simply because the Russia is institled in subjugating Siberia, stealing Manchuria, and threaten

Let honor and beame be to the due.

It is strange that alongside Capt.
Wolley's article is one by a Russian official on "His Shame for His Country," and another, the "Woes of Finland."

Lastly, Capt. Wolley compares the Russiand the Briton. If ever comparison was officus this is the time.

Thanking you for your space.

E. L. HARRISON.

MERCIFUL AND SENSIBLE, TOO.

In its quest of four-footed unfortunates the English Church Society for the Promotion of Kindness to Animals has hit upon a plan for decreasing the suffering among cats by placing a tax upon them. If all stray cats and those upon whom the owners do not care enough to pay the tax are quietly chloroformed, the society believes tair Albion will soon become a cat paradise.—Aberdeen Bulletin.

Harper's Weekly.

A well known physician who is somewhat sceptical as to the soundness of Christian Science tells this story of an ardent Eddyite and her little boy. The mother was crossing the field with her small son when a goat appeared and earned covards them threateningly, to the dismay of the youngster, who shrank in terror behind his mother's skirt. Remembering her beliefs, she tried to assure him.

"Why, Georgie," she sald soothingly, as the goat continued to advance, 'don't you know that you're a Christian Science little boy, that there's no such thing as pain and that it would be us-less for the goat to try and hurt you? Don't you know that," walled the doubting believer, be-Harper's Weekly.

'Yes," walled the doubting believer, be

ween his sobs, "I know it and you know t, but the goat don't know it!"

#### THE PLOT THICKENS.

The Mall and Empire.

For the position of authority in the construction of the government section of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway an active, adroit politician has been named. Mr. Wade, the member for Annapolis, is to step out of parliament, where he has just voted to fasten the unpopular project on the country, and is to direct the expenditure of \$75,000,000 of public money. This gentleman knows as much about building railways as he knows about airships or submarines. In short, he is not an expert. What, then, are his special qualifications? It may be urged that the member for Annapolis possesses the confidence of the government. Yet those very confidences, and the connection of Mr. Wade with the political machinery, ought to be a bar to such an appointment. By a serupulous government, and one whose infentions will bear close examination, the expending opportunity as it does for all sorts of political deals, would be confided to a board of independent experts rather than to a pilant partisan.

THE GENERAL ELECTIONS.

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Tribune, Winnipeg.

There is every indication that the general elections will be sprung very shortly. The end of October is set for the date by the knowing ones, although the infolde of November would seem to be the more likely time. The fact that Liberal lenders appear to be resting on their oars, as it were, after the turnoil of a busy session should not be taken as any sure indication that there is to be another session. As a matter of fact, government workers are running about mysteriously, campalign Hierature is being circulated actively, and the organs are publishing the kind of matter relating to comparisons between the accomplishments of the present and the late government that always presages an election. Prominent Liberals who are usually "on the inside" believe that the elections will be held this fall, and unless there is a bad crop failure, there would seem to be little doubt that they will be called before long. Pribune, Winnipeg.

#### DOWN IN QUEBEC.

Down in Quebec the Indications strongly point to a general election this fall. The French-Canadian Liberal newspapers have instituted a vigorous campaign on behalf of Laurier. Appeals are being made to the people of Quebec to support a French-Canadian premier for the last time. This they declare will be Laurier's final term, and with his passing will pass al chance of a premier of their own race for many years to come. The situation is thus described by the Toronto World.

"That the Ottawa government has described by the Toronto World.

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listers beling merely to hoodwink the opposition.

"In Montreal ministerial circles, signs are multiplying hourly which can leave no doubt of the fact that the ministry aims at a surprise and a snap verdict from the electorate. All the surrounding countles are swarming with Liberal election workers, although divisions in the party in several of the city constituencies, have prevented as much work being done in the government interest as in many of the rural sections of the province; yet in spite of this trouble the work is going quiety on. The French press is also looked after, in a manner that leaves no possible doubt as to the intention of the powers that be to the intention of the powers that be Ottawa."

Verily fame is fleeting. It is told that at the recent reception to Perry in Toronto, Hayhurst of Hamilton, the previous King's prize man, tried to get near Perry to shake his hand. He was rudely repulsed by a policeman. "I'm Hayhurst," he explained. "Get back, I tell you," shouted the policeman. "I don't know you"

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Scattle Times.

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SCARCITY OF LABOR.

London Times.

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We have received from the secretary of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association a report showing the present scarcity of labor in Canada and the needs of the members of the association. The grand total gmounts to 6,717, but of these nearly one-half are among canners, in which industry the figures are: Men, 320; boys, 510; women, 2,100. All these vacancies are in Ontario, except those for 200 men, who are needed in British Columbia, There are 390 shantymen needed for the lumber trade in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island, 200 are needed for the beet sugar industry in Ontario, and 160 stone and marble cutters are required in Quebec. Women are chiefly needed in the clothing, woollen and cotton industries, especially in Ontario, The association is the largest commercial organization in Canada, and represents 1,500 manufacturers.



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Local News.

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Army Contracts,—Lieut,-Col. English, commanding the troops at Work Point barracks, is calling for tenders which will be received up to noon of Wednesday, Sept. 7th, for supplies for one year, commencing October 1st, as follows: Bread, bissuit and flour, meat, forage, hospital supplies (groceries, etc.), coal, wood, oils and wick, washing and repairing bedding, water transport (tugs and scows), scavenging.

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Salmon Season Over.—That the run of fish is about at an end for this season is apparent from the reports made by salmon canners along the northern Pacific coast. Local canners are still ooking for cohoes, but as they have not yet appeared it is expected that when the run does come on the Fraser t will not materially affect the size of this year's pack. Comparisons of the oratis with those of last year, in the najority of cases, shows to the, disadrantage of the present season.

Hunting Season.—Local sportsmen are looking forward keenly to the opening of the hunting season on Thursday, Sept. 1st, and a successful period of good sport is looked forward to, as it is believed game of all sorts will be very plentiful this year. A heavy fine is imposed on offenders who are tempted to go out with guns at an earlier late.

Growing in Popularity.—The many resorts up the line of the £2. & N. railway are steadily growing in popularity with campers and holiday seekers, and this year the railway company have been busy handling the Sunday crowds. The band concert at Duneans last Sunday afternoon attracted a large crowd, and the evening down train was one of the heaviest ever handled in the history of the foad—ten coaches being filled with passengers, necessitating the employment of two engines.

Gold From Yuken.—The steamers

Gold From Yuken.—The steamers Dolphin and City of Seattle, which reached Scattle from the North on Sunday, brought a total Klondike gold shipment of 8650,000, practically all consigned either to the Seattle assay office or the Canadian Bank of Commerce. Much of the treasure came out in care of the Alaska Pacific Express. Capt. Johnson reported a shipment of \$350,000 by the Dolphin, and the City of Seattle came in with a \$300,000 consignment.

Was Known Here.—Local police are familiar to a slight extent with Horace D. Gates, the man who, with one Gertie Johnson, is being held in Vancouver on the charge of procuring. He and the Label to wave age, bere some time Johnson, is being held in Vancouver on the charge of procuring. He and the Johnson woman came here some time ago and took a cabin on lower Chatham street. The police, after investigating the case, decided that the town could get along very well without them, and they received notice to quit. They left hurriedly on May 30th. To Detective Sergeant Palmer Gates said he was an advertising agent. Improved Service.—A new service to the Maintand is now in effect over the Victoria Terminal Railway and Ferry System. Teissengers leaving Victoria at it a. m. will go from Port Guichon to South New Westminster by train in time to catch the 1:40 p. m. train for Vancouver. Passengers for this city will leave Vancouver at 12:15 p. m.

> We don't know—any more than you do - the name and address of the mun who will buy that house of yours; but if he lives in this city he reads the real estate advertisements in

A Tragic Sequel.—According to a despatch from London, Edgar Wallace's search for a wife for Cochrane, a Bratish Columbia rancher, has had a tragic sequel. Rev. Mr. Dunean, of Salmon Arm, gave Cochrane a certificate of character, and six hundred girls applied in answer to an advertisement. The successful girl was to have left London Sunday night to embark on the Lake Manitoba, but on Saturday morning a cable was received in London from Rev. Mr. Dunean stating that Cochrane had died suddenly. Pampulet-Harris.—At the residence of Mr. F. Morrison, Gorge road, on Saturday evening, Rev. R. J. McIntyre, of Victoria 'West Methodist church, united in marriage Frederick W., second son of Capt. T. H. Pamphlet, of this city, and Miss Mary Harris. Mr. A. A. Clayton and Miss Annie Pamphlet, sister of the bridegroom, performed the duties of groomsman and bridesmaid, while Misses Hazel A. R. Morrison, Beatrice A. Morrison and Stella M. M. Pamphlet were flower girls. Only a few intimate friends and relatives were present. After the wedding supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Pamphlet left on the steamer Princess Victoria for Vancouver.

Building Progress.—Work commenced in carnest yesterday on the job of creeting the two new buildings, mention of which was made in the Colonist some days ago—a three-storey structure on Langley street for J. H. McGregor, and a three-storey brick for Wah Yune & Co., on Cormorant street. Both buildings will be completed this year. The Carnegie library building is rapidly nearing completion. The pediment over the entrance has been completed and workmen are now engaged in putting on the roof. This will be of copper on the stack room in the rear of the main building, while the remainder will be of slate. Noted Hunter's Trip.—A Dawson correspondent, writing under date of Aug. 10th, says: "Selous, the noted hunter, left this morning over the Rock creek trail for the Twelve-and country. He goes to join Messrs. Sheldon and Osgood, of the United States geological survey, who are on the Twelve-Mile, studying on biological lines, and Karl Rungis, the noted nainter of animals, who is with on biological lines, and Karl Rungis, the noted painter of animals, who is with the biological party. Two weeks hence Mr. Selous will join J. B. Tyrrell's hunting party for a trip up the Mc-Millan, a tributary of the Pelly river. D. A. Cameron, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, is also one of the chief men in the party. Governor Congdon has been asked to go, and may accept the invitation, he states." A Popular Pastor.—That Rev. W. H. Barraclough, formerly pastor of the Centennial Methodist church in this city, is popular with the people of the Yukon, is shown by the fact that he has been extended a call by the quarterly official board of the Dawson Methodist church for a fourth year. Mr. Barraclough just now is beginning a third year. The invitation now extended, covering the fourth year, was made so that the church might have ample time to make other negotiations should Mr. Barraclough not accept the offer. Mr. Barraclough's reply will be laid formally before the board at its next quarterly meeting.

the invitation, he states."

The Fall Fair.—A meeting of the committee having in hand the arranging of the manufacturers and industrial exhibit at the fall fair, was held at the office of Swinerton & Oddy yesterday afternoon. There were present Messrs. F. Moore, T. W. Walker, H. B. Thomson, J. A. Sayward and Robt. H. Swinerton. Messrs. Moore and Walker were appointed a committee on applications. A large number of applications were already reported, and some very interesting and novel exhibitions are likely to be made. There will likely be attractive exhibits with moving machinery. It is desired that applications for space should be made as early as possible, so that the space may be best arranged for and apportioned. Successful Garden Party.—A very enjoyable garden party was held yesterday on the beautiful grounds of Mr. and Mrs. Horace J. Knott, on Harrison street, in connection with the Metropolitan Sunday school. Patrons were numerous and no trouble was spared to make all comers happy. During the afternoon a variety of garden games were indulged in, while in the evening the grounds were lighted up by electricity, and from tastefully-arranged booths refreshments were served by the ladies of the Sunday school. The Metropolitan church orchestra was in attendance and rendered a select programme, every

caurch orchestra was in attendance and rendered a select programme, every anaber of which proved a treat.

Nurserymen Organize—At Vancouver on Saturday the British Columbia Association of Nurserymen was organized and the following officers elected: M. D. Robertson, New Westminster, was elected president; J. Henry, of Vancouver, vice-president, and A. Ohlson, Victoria, secretary treasurer. The amended act of the Board of horticulture came up for discussion and the general opinion expressed was that it is likely to cause friction between fruit growers and nurserymen, and result in injury to a home industry which, if not hampered, may, in the near future, become of some importance, as it is now admitted to be an established fact that as good nursery stock may be grown in Jilis province as ir any of the states in the Pacific coast, and far specific or the act, and submit them to the legislature at the next session.

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Hospital Garden Fete,—Should weather conditions prove favorable, the garden fete at the grounds of the Royal Jubilee hospital today, from 4 to 10 p. m., will no doubt prove a very enjoyable event, as every preparation has been made looking to its success. This party is given by Mrs. Jas. A. Douglas and the proceeds are to go to the furnishing of a rooom in the new Strathcona wing. This will be called the Douglas room in memory of Si James Douglas, whose name is so prominently identified with the history of this province. The surplus proceeds will be devoted by Mrs. Douglas towards the furnishing of the sun room at the hospital. The band of the Fifth Regiment will be illuminated through the courtesy of the Hinton Electric Company will provide a special car service, Refreshments, including tea and coffee, will be served. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon President Day will formally open the Stratheona wing. In the evening, from 8:30 to 10:30, the Fifth Regiment band will again be present and give a grand concert.

#### FOUND

The Grand.—Manager Jamieson's offering at the Grand theatre on Johnson street for this week fully maintains the reputation for high-class entertainment which this popular house has earned during the few weeks of its existence, and which has resulted in such phenomenal business at a season when all other popular priced places of amusement have been compelled to close. Mr. Jamieson is evidently fully alive to the fact that his success is due to his having kept each week's programme up to a high standard of merit, and that a continuance of the ilberal patronage hitherto accorded to the Grand depends upon his leaving no stone unturned in endeavoring to secure the latest novelties and best talent of all kinds to be obtained. The bill for this week, as presented to crowded houses last night, is good all through and will undoubtedly keep up the record for big business. The programme opens with the illustrated song, "There's a Mother Always Waiting You at Home, Sweet Home," by Frederic Roberts. Perry and Sims follow with a bright singing and talking act, which reaches everybody. Kola and Seymour, down on the programme as German comedians, but whom any other designation would fit as well, do a very fumity comedy act, interspersed with some good slinging. The clever cartoonist, John Boozelini, in his trick drawing and illustrated monologue, is an entire novelty and a special feature of the bill, and Signor and Madame Balli, in their sektch entitled "Miss Betty's Courtship," will prove especially pleasing to music lovers. The moving pictures cover about a dozen different subjects and are all good and amusing.

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Swimming Contest.—The name of the winner of the first prize in the boys' life saving contest at St. Clair's baths on Saturday should have been Vivan Bagshawe and not Brayshaw as appeared.

The R. C. Cathedral.—Workmen were engaged yesterday erecting scatfolding at St. Andrew's R. C. Cathedral. It is intended to put a new roof on the building, this time of slate. It will be as big improvement and enhance the safety of the building.

A Breach of Law.—A Chinaman, giving his name as Sam Kee, was yesterday morning fined \$2.50 and costs, in the provincial police court, his offence being a breach of the sanitary law, which sets forth that no person shall expectorate on a public sidewalk or in a public conveyance. Sam's offence was committed in a tram car en route from Esquimalt to Victoria.

full capacity. Some few alterations will be made as a result of yesterday's trial. The mill is advantageously situated on Rock bay.

Alaska Pack Short.—The shortage in the pack of Alaska red salmon this year is estimated at 300,000 cases, but owing to the high price that was quoted at the opening of last season more than a million cases were held over and will more than make up for the shortage of the present season. The fact that the extra supply of last year's fish is on hand to be disposed of is used as an additional argument that the opening price has al argument that the opening price has been placed at too high a figrare—\$1.10

Heavy Machinery.—Some days ago the heaviest weight ever put on the public weigh bridge at the Market was ticketed. It was an engine for a thrashing machine, which tipped the beam at 8,549 pounds. Both were for Mr. James Todd, of Cedar Hill. Yesterday another thresher was put on the weigh bridge, which recorded 5,480 pounds and its engine 6,520. These were for Mr. Lilimit, of Duncans. The hanchinery was supplied by Messrs. Nicholls & Renouf, Victoria.

Visited Nanimo.—Hon, Raymond Prefontaine, minister of marine and fisheries, went to Vancouver on the Quadra on Sunday morning, and yesterday visited Nanaimo, where he was cordially received. He was very much impressed with Nanaimo as a coal centre. He promised, in response to a memorial presented, that a scientific examination of the wealth of the fisheries would be made. He undertook that additional lights and buoys would be placed in the harbor. The minister left for Ladysmith on the Quadra.

Additional Names.—In the list published in Friday's issue of the excursionists on the steamer Princess Victoria who subscribed to the maintenance fund for the cure of consumptives the following names were omitted: E. B. Marvin, Capt. Grant, Col. F. B. Gregory, Jas. Hunter, A. G. McCandless, A. Wilson, Wm. Christie, Capt. J. G. Cox, Wm. Turpel, T. J. Jones, D. E. Campbell, Luke Pither, John Piercy, W. Walker, Radiger & Janion, D. R. Ker, J. H. Lawson, C. J. Spratt. M. Young, F. Moore, S. J. Pitts, B. C. Mess, Wm. Wilson and M. Fisher.

has been done to the line by the fires.

Rush to Tanana.—One of the Klondike's richest miners, John P. Anderson, returned on the Seattle, which reached the Sound on Sunday. Anderson says that Dawson, despite the fact that new and sensationally rich discoveries are constantly being made in the Klondike, and that the yield will be as large if not greater this season than that of last year, that the mad rush to the Tanana continues. In some instances men chafing under the rigid restrictions placed upon the operations of Americans, on the British Yukon are disposing of their interests in the Klondike in order to get into the American Tanana. He says only the very best reports of the new diggings reach Dawson and that they are of such a reliable character as to warrant men making an effort to get into the new district and on the ground floor.

Engagement Announced. — The Tacoma News of Sunday has the following interesting announcement: "The engagement of Miss Etta Chapman Bates, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Bates, to Mr. Kenneth J. Burns, of Victoria, was announced to a few intimate friends yesterday at a small tea given by Mrs. Bates at the residence, 424 North M street. The news came as a complete surprise to all but one or two friends who had been let into the happy secret a few days ago, while the surprise of the most popular girls of the younger set, and a charming host ss. Mr. Bucus et al. Westborn railword offees here, but for a few years has been in Victoria, where it is general agent of the road." Mr. Charles O. Bates is one of the leading attorneys of Tacoma.

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Last evening within the Tourist Association rooms a meeting of the transportation committee of the Victoria exhibition took place, there being present Messrs. D. R. Ker, chairman; H. H. Abbott, C. S. Baxter, George L. Courtney, A. T. Goward and Herbert Cuthbert. The preliminary steps were taken at that meeting to encourage a much larger attendance at the exhibition this year than has been experienced in the past.

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The proposal is to have as many excursions as possible arranged for over the various routes from the Sound and mainland, as well as from the island north of Victoria. It is proposed to offer specially reduced excursion rates from Seattle and other Sound ports, Nanamo and Vancouver for the fall expublication.

Nanaimo and Vancouver for the fall exhibition.

Mr. Abbott said it might be possible to have the steamer Princess Beatrice run an excursion from Bellingham or Everett for one day during the week, and that the steamer Princess Victoria might possibly be held over at Seattle on Thursday; instead of leaving Wednesday night, leaving Seattle Thursdaymorning instead at 7:30, returning to her regular run at 7 o'clock the same night. Also that the steamer Charmer could make a special excursion from Vancouver in addition to the regular boat. It was believed that a \$1.50 round trip rate on all those boats, with the exception of the Princess Victoria, would be a sufficiently low rate to bring a big crowd.

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Mr. Courtney was asked if it would not be possible to put on a special train at \$1 or \$1.50 from Nanaimo, returning from here that night at 7 o'clock, especially on the day that the rock-drilling contest is held, should that item be included in the list of attractions. Mr. Courtney is giving the matter his earnest consideration.

A deputation was appointed to wait on Mr. E. E. Blackwood, who could not be present at the meeting, to enquire it it would be possible to have the steamer Dolphin, or the Jefferson, make a special excursion from the Sound to Victoria, particularly, on Wednesday, the day of the great naval demonstration. If those excursions could be arranged, in addition to the usual advertising of the companies, it is expected that the exhibition management will do what they can to advertise the excursions. The Tourist Association also would allow Mr. Herbert Cuthbert to go over to the Sound and work up the excursion prices in connection with the street parade.

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#### SPORTING NEWS.

THE GUN.

Closing Shoot.

The final shoot of the season of the Victoria Gun Club took place at Langford plains Sunday. The chief interest to all contestants was in the Victoria Gun Club trophy, which has been won once by each of the following gentlemen; J. C. Maclure, Robt. Sangster, Otto Weiler; and twice by W. H. Adams. At this contest Mr. C. F. Banfield proved victorious, making the splendid score of 27 out of 30 for the cup, and, shooting still further, he finished with a score of 46 out of 50, which is highly creditable considering that the Victoria Gun Club throw their birds harder than any on the coast.

The best scores by club members were as follows:

C. F. Banfield

TROUBLE WITH VENEZUELA.

Washington, Aug. 22.—President Castro has not favorably received United States Minister Bowen's request for restoration of the property of the New York and Bermudez Asphalt Company in Venezuela pending legal proceedings, the minister cabled the state department today from Caracas that President astro thought the United States government should await the conclusion of e legal proceedings, allowing the asafalt and property to remain mean-dien it he hands of Receiver Carner, thing further has been done about matter.

OUNDARY ORE SHIPMENTS

while ni the hands of Receiver Carner. Nothing further has been done about the matter.

BOUNDARY ORE SHIPMENTS.

Phoenix, B. C., Aug. 22.—Boundary ore shipments now run over the 500,000 ton mark for this year, the following being the figures for the several mines for the past week: Granby mines to Granby smelter, 10,660 tons; Mother Lode to Greenwood smelter, 4,192 tons; Emma to Greenwood, Nelson and Trail smelters, 1,452 tons; Oro Denoro to Granby smelter, 199 tons; Mountain Rose to Greenwood smelter, 33 tons. Total for week, 16,636 tons; total for year to date, 515,451 tons. Granby smelter treated this week 11,757 tons, or 375,848 tons for the year thus far.

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First prize, spening, 91 per cent-Winifred Mand Fox.
First, prize, geography, 82 per cent-William Frank Capneron.
First prize, reading, 75 per cent-Margnerite Nettie Rickaby, Daisy E. K. Jones, Gladys Elsie Cruickshank, Winifred Mary Scowcroft.
The latter prizes were presented by W. G. Cameron, M. P. P.
In none of the other schools of the city were there any special exercises, such having occurred when these schools were closed for the midsummer term. The High school will reopen next week.

A number of complaints have reached the Colonist respecting the system obtaining in the education department which involves what many allege is an unnecessary expenditure on the part of parents on the opening of each school term. It is contended that in numerous instances parents are often compelled to buy for a pupil who has just been advanced to a higher grade books similar to what are already possessed by an elder child of the family, but debarred of use by some technicality. As a case in point, it is mentioned that elementary books used by scholars taking Latin the High school, cannot be used by children taking up that study for the first time in the graded schools. Superintendent Eaton was asked about this yesterday and explained that as far as he knew elementary books used by pupils in the graded schools could be used in the high school; but he was not sure that the case would work the other way. The matter of the interchange of school books between pupils of the family is of vital importance to very many people; and many are of the opinion that a concerted effort should be made to remedy the grievance. A number of complaints have reached Port Arthur. remedy the grievance.

STRIKE AT GREENWOOD.

Important Find on Barbara Claim Adjoining the Townsite.

Greenwood, B. C., Aug. 22.—The latest interest in mining circles was caused Thursday by a strike on the Barbara, which adjoins the townsite on the east, Some of the best residences of the town are on the claim. The Barbara is under bond to Alex. Miller, and is in charge of W. H. Jeffery, mining engineer. A winze has been sunk about 40 feet. There is a lead of 14 inches nearly solid ore. The ore is galena, zinc blend and copper sulphide occurring in a granular quartz gangue and yielding a value of nearly \$100 to the ton. William Fowler, one of the experienced miners in high-grade ores in the Boundary has just returned from a trip up West fork. Mr. Fowler speaks very enthusiastically of Wallace mountain, at Beaverdell, and claims that the showings there are among the finest he has ever seen.

Mrs. George Westinghouse gives the

Mrs. George Westinghouse gives the society people of Lenox much to talk about owing to the splendors, not to say eccentricities of her entertainments. She has had designs upon the social leadership of that exclusive spot and has had at her dinners the British applyssador and wive.

#### PERSONALS.

James McDonaid, one of the pioneer nerchants of the Kootenay country and f flife city of Nelson, is registered at the primary of the first the first of the first the first of the first t

one, accompanied by his wife and family, on a holiday.

G. Sheldon-Williams, editor of the B. C. Mining Exchange, came over from Vancouver last night, and is registered at the Dominion.

Mrs. D.

the Feature of Commencement Day.

Presentation of Governor-General's Medal to Clara Van Sant at North Ward.

The various public schools of the city with the exception of the High schools were opened yesterday with appropriate services and with the largest attendance of pupils in the history of Victorna, approximately 3,000. So many applications are on hand that the question of schools are on hand that the question of the office of the day was the presentation of professing than of the control of the schools and the covered and the properties of the schools and the covered and the properties of the schools and the covered that the properties of the schools and the covered that the properties of the schools and the covered that the properties of the schools and the other properties of the schools and the control of the schools and the tother of the s

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Washington, Aug. 22.—United States Consul General Fowler cabled the state department today from Chefoo that the Chinese local authorities there, as well as the Chinese population, are greatly alarmed over the prospect that the Japanese fleet will land at Chefoo and seek to destroy the wireless telegraph system which has been operating with Port Arthur.

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DOES NOT FOLLOW!

Moutrent Herald? It storm The Czar must be a poor sort of chap. Most men in his circumstances would have gone on a tearing spree with the boys. He only wept.

ALL FOR A BOY.

Eastern Exchange. Eastern Exchange.

Let Kuropatkin take the back track for St. Petersburg; let Port Arthur fall into the hands of the Jabys; let Korea and Manchuria be forever alienated; let the Russians be driven from the Pacific seas; let the Nihilists throw their bombs—what cares the Czar? It is a boy!

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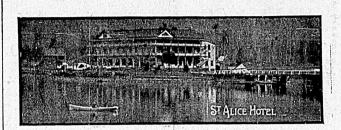
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#### FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

New Tork, Aug. 22.—The same influences which gave the stock market a reactionary tone in the last half of the previous week were once more at work today, though those forces were much diminished and the volume of business was smaller. Reports of further damages to the crops in the West and Northwest were again largely responsible for an erratic wheat market and in the industrial and labor conditions continued in a somewhat delicate state. Nevertheless, the list showed considerable resistance to bear attacks which were at no time very severe. In fact the irregularity of the market at the outset was largely due to the new turn of events in the Far East, but Loudon's purchases at the centre turned the tide or uncertainty. An early test of the market today seemed to indicate that the weak holders had been weeded out in last week's declines, and it was soon apparent that a fair-sized short interest existed in many of the more active issues. Union Pacific and Southern Pacific were well supported and what was commonly believed to be a large short interest was driven to cover in St. Paul.

While only moderately active, the market held its early raily all through the morning session. In addition to the stocks mentioned, there was some activity in Archison and the grangers as a group were helped by late reports of a big cornerop in Southwestern Kansas. A sharp break in wheat gave additional impetus to the market in the attennon and caused a very extensive covering of shorts. It is noteworthy that a comparatively small amount of stock came out on the rise, and this, together with further heavy buying of Union Pacific and Southern Pacific by so-called insiders, -produces the strong close.

So-called Insiders, produced the strong close.

In addition to the railway Issues alrendy mentioned, the movement in Reading attracted some attention, a specialist taking round lots of that stock, causing a net gain of 1% points. Southern Pacific, with its gain of 2 points, was the most active Issue.

nited States government 2's advanced per cent, on call. Railway bonds were Total sales at par value were \$2,060,000.

New York, Aug. 22.—During the after-noon wheat displayed only moderate ac-tivity and was generally weak until near the close, when prices railled on covering, although they closed 1½ to 1%, below Sat-urday, with September at 114 1-4. The corn close was quite steady on export. Sales of 12 loads and a good cash demand in Chicago.

New York, Aug. 22.—Pig iron qulet; Northern 13.24 to 14.50; Southern 12.25 to 13.75. Copper quiet at 12.50 to 12.75. Lead quiet at 4.20 to 4.25. Tin quiet Straits 26.75 to 27.00. Plates market quiet. Speiter quiet; Domestic 4.85 to 95.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—Close: Wheat, Sept 109%, old 111 3-8; Dec 111; May 113%. Corn, Aug 53%; Sept 54%; Dec 53%; May 52%. Oats Aug 33%; Sept 33%; Dec 34%; May 37%.

New York, Aug. 22.—Money on call easy to 3 for 1 per cent. Rulling rate and last oan 1. Time loan easy and dull; 60 days per cent; 90 days 2½; six months 3½.

Meteorological Office, Victoria, Aug. 22—8 p. m. SYNOPSIS.

The weather is becoming cloudy and unsetified along the coast, and may be shewery during the next 36 hours. Rain has fallen over the northern portion of the province, and showers and thunderstorn have been general in the Territories storms have been g and Manitoba.

TEMPERATURE.

Min.

Victoria 49	61
New Westminster 52	60
Kamloops 58	60
Barkerville	54
Fort Simpson 48	60
Dawson, Y. T 44	70
Calgory, Alta 40	56
Wingipeg Man 42	76
Portland, Ore 52	68
San Francisco, Cal 52	56
FORECASTS	
For 24 hours from 5 a. m., Pacific	tim

Tuesday:
Victoria and vicinity: Winds chiefly
southerly; generally fair; not much
change in temperature.
Lower Mainland: Light winds; continued
fair; not much change in temperature.
VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 21 hours cading 5 to m. Ob.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m. SUNDAY, AUGUST 21.

 
 SUNDAY, AUGUST 2

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5 p.m. 10 miles south Average state of weather—Fair. Sunshine—3 hours 30 minutes. Barometer at noon—Observed... Corrected... NEW WESTMINSTER. Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected.

#### IN WOMAN'S FAVOR.

Few treatments stand so high in woman's favor as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. This is not only because of the extraor dinary control which this preparation has dinary control which this preparation has over diseases and weakness peculiar to women, but also because of its power as a tissue builder. By weighing yourself while using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food you can prove that new flesh and weight is being added to the body.

#### IN NORTHERN MANCHURIA.

Mukden, Aug. 22.—The belief is increasing that the Japanese do not intend to make a direct attack on Gen. Kuropatkin's position at Liaoyang. It is thought they will try rather to force an engagement in the vicinity of Mukden. The rains have not damaged the railway, but destroyed a number of bridges. As the rains have rendered the lower grounds impassable, the main Japanese army has fallen back to the hills.

DO YOUR CORNS ACHE. Of course they do. But you can cure them in one day with Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. For nearly fifty years Putnam's has been the safe and painless corn cure. None so good as Putnam's.

SUNKEN BOAT IDENTIFIED.

Tokio, Aug. 22.—It is officially announced that the Russian gumboat which was destroyed by striking a mine on August 18th, a short distance from the entrance to Port Arthur harbor, was the Otvajni.

"I certainly did enjoy your sermon," said the hard case, who soldom artended church. "Indeed!": spilled, the Rey, Mr. Tawker, "and which pare did you enjoy the most?" "I guess it was the part where I dreamed I had a million dollars."

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Victoria, August 1, 1904.

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Victoria, B. C., August, 1904.
(Issued by the tidal survey branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

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19	F.	4:08		13:34				20:52	7.9
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Zero of above helghts corresponds to 11 feet in the fairway of Victoria hachor. The time used is Pachle standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The height is in feet and tenths of a foct. ESQUIMALT.

For time of high water add 14 minutes o H. W. at Victoria.

Esquimalt (at Dry Dock)—From observations during six months, May to October, compared with simultaneous observations continued at Victoria by Mr. F. Napler Denison.

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there is one thing walch every one seems to know and to like, and that is Pay Roll plug chewing tobacco. It tastes so good, and then lumbermen get many useful articles free in premiums by saving the tags and exchanging them.

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Dr. Chase's Ointment

### PURCHASING PRICES.

#### FOR PRODUCE

Corrected Daily by Messrs. Sylvester & Co Wholesale purchasing prices for feed and produce have remained stationary for a couple of weeks, but vesterday The Sylvester Feed Company reported potatoes cheaper—they now paying \$1.25 per 100 lb. instead of \$1.50. Other listed quotations are stationary.

Hay (old), per ton
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Hay (green), per ton
Straw, per ton
Oats, per ton
Barley, per ton
Potatoes (new), per 100 lbs
Wheat, per ton
Onlons, per 100 lbs.

priced as low as \$5.00 for 108 pieces. Weiler Bros., Government street, Vic-toria, B. C.

#### A HINT TO TRAVELERS.

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While in Suffolk, Henry Croll., jr., propiletor of the Benverion, Mich. Hardware Co., was taken very sick with bowel trouble. A traveling sal-sunn of Sections, Mich., advised him to get a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrheea Remedy, which he did. "It soon cured me, and I take pleasure in recommending it," he says. No one should leave home on a journey without a bottl of this remedy. It is almost sure to be needed, and is not obtainable while on steamship or cars. For sale by all Druggists.

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#### Army Contracts

Tenders will be received by the Officer Commanding Troops, Work Point Barracks, until 12 noon on Wednesday, 7th September, 1904, for the undermentloned supplies, etc., for H. M. Troops at Esquimalt for the period of one year from 1st October, 1904:

1. Bread, Biscult and Flour.

2. Meat.

3. Forage.

4. Hospital Supplies (Groceries), etc.

5. Coal.

6. Wood.

7. Oils and Wick.

8. Washing and repairing bedding.

9. Water Transport (Tugs and Scows.)

10. Scavenging.

Forms of tender and any other particulars may be obtained on application to the Officer Commanding, Army Service Corps, Work Point Barracks.

Tenders must be properly filled up, signed and dated, and no tender will be considered unless received by 12 noon on above-named date, in a closed envelope marked "Tender" on the outside.

The Officer Commanding Troops, Esquimalt, does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

C. ENGLISH,

\*\*Lieut.-Colonel Cdg. Troops, Esquimalt. Work Point Barracks, 18th August, 1904.

NOTICE—At the expiration of thirty days from this date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore including the rights attached thereto, for fishing purposes, on Trial island, commencing at a point marked J. S. P., and running in a southerly direction forty chains, including the foreshore lands covered by water.

ARMADA RELICS, SOLD.

Naval and Military Record.

When the Armada was scattered, one of the unfortunate galleons was cast away and sunk in Tohermory Bay, island of Mull. The ship was reputed to hold enormous treasure, and as far back as 1611 the rights of salvage were graced. Archibald Marquis of Argill.

Archibald Marquis of Argill.

Hons of money' in the sands of the sen have not been successful but from time to time portions of the ship and of its munitions have successful but from time to time portions of the ship and of its munitions have successful as a year ago, were summitted to the inspection and budding of the curious. These cumbrous spoils of the deep did not, however, fascinate as harp line between objects of arginal and curios, whatever the historical interest of the latter may be. The chief memento was, unquestionably, a bronze breechloading cannon, 4½ feet long, with separate powder chamber. The shot and was still remain in the gun, and there are traces of powder in the chamber. A nearly undecipherable date is probably 1565. For this the comparatively good price of £55 was paid, and it is understood that the gun will find a home in the museum of the Chartechouse School at Godalming. A piece of the planking of the ship's side, with trenali-holes, made £2, an apothe-carry metal mortar £4 10s., and two pairs of antique compasses £4. Six stone cannon balls of 6½ inch idameter brought £7, and two iron balls £1 10s. Gritus reminders of the tragedy are several human bones, for which £1 15s. was given. Lastly, a gold double-headed serpent finger ring realized £6 10s., and thirty-three large silver coins, apparently pesos, £25. NOTICE

sidewalks of concrete on the following streets, viz: Illiside avenue, south side, between Douglas and Fort streets (six feet wide). Superior street, north side, between Men-zies street and Birdcage Walk (six feet wide).

wide).
Pandora avenue, north side, from Douglas street to Blanchard street, and from Quadra street to the east line of the propert belonging to Mr. Drury (six, eight and ten feet wide).
Quebee street, south side, between St. John street and Montreal street (six feet wide).

wide).
Superior street, south side, from Bird-cage Walk to Katherine street (six feet wide.) Kings road, north side, between Douglas

street and Second street (five feet wide.)
Menzies street, east slide, between Niag-nra street and Dallas road (five feet wide.)
Pakington street, north slide, between Vancouver street and Cook street (five feet Douglas street, east side, from Fort street to Kane street (fourteen feet wide.) Kane street, north side, from Douglas utreet easterly a distance of 60 feet (ten feet wide).

Douglas street

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Pemberton road, east side, from Cadboro Bay road southerly a distance of 227 feet, and on the west side from Cadboro Bay road southerly a distance of 288 feet of linehes (five feet wide).

And that said works should be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General By-law," and the City Euglineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said by-law, upon the said works of improvement, giving statements showing the amount chargeable, in Feech case, against the various portions of real property benefited thereby, and fauch reports inving been adopted by the Council on the 8th day of August instant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that said reports are open for Inspection at the of-

las street.

WELLINGTON I. DOWLER.
C. M. C.
Victoria, B. C., City Glob's Office,
9th August, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date the undersigned intends to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for prantistion to purchase the following described faind, situated on Barciay Sound, Alberni District. Commencing at the southwest post of Lot 16, San Mateo Bay, thence east 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north to the coast, following coast to place of commencement; containing 120 acres more or less R. II. WOOD. New Westminster, August 19, 1904.

New Westminster, August 19, 1904

All mineral rights are reserved by the Esquimait & Namaimo Rallway Company within that tract of land bounded on the south by the souther, boundary of Comox District, on the east by the Straits of south by the soathern boundary of Comox District, on the east by the Straits of Georgia, on the north by the 50th parallel, and on the west by the boundary of the E & N. Railway land grant.

LEONARD H. SOLI-Y, 'cad Commissioner.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners, I intend to apply for a transfer of the Retail Liquor License now held by me on the premises known as the Lighthouse Saloon, situated on the S. W. corner of Cormorant and Store Streets, to F. L. Smith, of this City.

HARRY MAYNARD.

#### "LAND REGISTRY ACT."

IN THE MATTER of an application for a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to Lot Nine hundred and seventy-eight (978), Victoria City.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, to issue a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above land issued to Charles Malcolm Cookson, on the 9th day of August, 1901, and numbered 7031c.

S. Y. WOOTTON,

Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., 5th day of August, 1904.

#### Municipal Notice.

Payment of Sewer Rental and Sewer Conprinciple of Sweet Reinia and sewer Construction Tax Due for Year 1904.

PURLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the SEWER RENTAL AND SEWER CONSTRUCTION TAX which became due on the 31st day of May last must be paid not inter than the 31ST DAY OF JULLY IN.

STANT, otherwise interest will be charged in addition to costs necessary in enforcing payment of amounts in arrear.

CHAS. KENT.
Trensurer and Collector.
City Trensurer and Collector's Office, Cl
Hall, Victoria, B. C., July 22, 1904.

# RELIABLE WEN WANTED

WANTED\_FUMALE HELP. WANTED—A comfortable home is offered to a middle-aged person who will look after a house and act as companion to an elderly lady. Address, stating sal any expected, to P. O. Box 515. au2

WANTED-Lady to take charge of house for a month. Apply 169 Johnson street, au21

WANTED-Experienced housemaid, nursemaids and two nurse girls. Refer ences necessary, 60° Rae street. au2

VANTED—Young lady to teach little boy two hours daily; 10:30 to 12:30 (city) Apply 60 Rae street. au2:

WANTED-MALE HELP.

VANTED—A good boy about thirteer years old to help milk cows and work around dairy. Address "Dairy," Colon

around dairy. Address "Dairy," Colon ist office. au2

WANTED—A youth for Dry Goods and Gents' Eurnishing store. Apply to The People's Store, 88½ Douglas street.

THE RICHARDSON Employment Agency is removed to 60 Rae street. Business hours, 10:30 to 1:30. J. Devereaux. my29

FOR SALE—Confectionery business, well established, on Yates street, Victoria, B. C.; reasonable terms. Apply to owner at his Government street store. A. Bancroft, wholesale and retail confectioner.

OST—Parcel of clothes between City Hall and Mount Tolmie. Finder please return to Commercial salood. au23

FOUND—At Cemetery, three weeks ago, pair bi-focal spectacles. Owner can have same on calling at Colonist office.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DON'T BE HUMBUGGED by 'timerate fakers if you want your chimneys clear ed! Go to the only capable and reliable chimney cleaner in Victoria. Wm, Neal 32 Quadra street. 'Lune A581 mis

TO REST\_RESIDENCES.

OR RENT-Large house, close to the Victoria Machinery Depot; grand loca-tion for boarding house; will alter build-ing to suit. Enquire Levy's Restaurant. au21

FO LET-Furnished, part of the residence known as "Pineville," Fairfield road. Apply "Pineville." au19

TO LET-House, 19 Rae street; gas for lighting and cooking au1-

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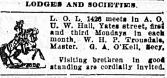
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Pen Picture of
Town of Duncans

Spectator of scores of young men and boys engaged in baseball and other games, and heard not an objectionable expression at any time, which in itself speaks volumes to the credit of Duncans and the behavior of its youths.

For honesty of both whites and Indians' hear a high character, No locking of windows and barring of doors for protection are necessary, nor, indeed, much 'practiced.

The near future, no doubt, the banks of the Cowichan river, in the neighborhood of Duncans, as it becomes better known, will be a popular place for summer holidaying and camping parties. "So mote it be."

THE ST. LEGER.

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The public is looking forward to the St. Leger on September 7th with more interest than has been shown for many years. Pretty Polly is first favorite, with St. Amant, the winner of the Derby, a strong second. Rumor says that the two French horses, Ajax and Gouvernaut, will both run. "The Grand" English St. Leger Sweepstake, conducted by Mr. Salmon, is filling rapidly, the mails bringing a steady flow of orders for tickets from country and mainland points. In this sweepstake 40 per cent, so second, 10 per cent, divided amongst them, and non-starters, of whom there will be many, 20 per cent. As a safeguard for the public, a definite amount, 10 per cent, is set aside for expenses, advertising and printing, and cannot be exceeded. cent., is set aside for expenses, adver-tising and printing, and cannot be ex-ceeded.

If so, you should take along a bottle of Chamberlain's Colle, Cholera and Diarricoea Remedy. The hot weather, fatigue and change of drinking water and diet are almost certain to produce diarrhoea, and when you have this remedy at hand you can check it at once. If you wish to buy it while there you can get it at any drug store in St. Louis, and at the inside Drug Store. For sale by all Druggists.

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Pacific Coast Steamship Will Not Install Apparatus at Present.

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Officials of the Pacific Coast Steam ship Company deny the published re-ports that the steamers Queen, Umailla and City of Puebla, of the Sound Victoria-San Francisco service, are to be equipped at once with wireless teleraph apparatus. All the company in tends to do for the present is to note carefully the operation of the several wireless stations at Cape Flattery and other points along the coast. The company may, in the event of the system being proved of practical utility, consider the question of installing wireless instruments on the asteamers of their Sound-California fleet; but the assertion that they had determined to do so now as theorees.

#### CHINESE CREWS.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company has made application to Commissioner of Immigration Hart H. North, at San Francisco, for permission to transfer to the Manchuria a crew of Chinese, numbering 207, from the Siberia. This permission was withheld by the commissioner pending instructions from Washington. There is a strong probability that the transfer will not be allowed, in view of a recent ruling of the department that "Chinese coming to a port of this country, although sailors, if not actually engaged as such on the vessel on which they arrive, are merely laborers and as such not entitled to admission either physically to the United States or to the deck of an American vessel, and if engaged on the ship must remain on the vessel on which they came."

NEW YORK TO BE OVERHAULED.

The flagship New York, daily expected here from Puget sound with the cruiser Marblehead and gunboat Bennington, is to make only a brief sojourn before proceeding on her way to the Atlantic. The flag of Rear-Admiral Goodrich flies from the New York, but upon meeting the cruiser Chicago down the coast, the flag will be transferred to that vessel, and Capt. Hunker, of the New York, will take the New York around into the Atlantic. She is to be given an extensive overhauling and made more modern. Electricity, instead of steam, will be utilized in the turrets, and her intermediary battery is to be completely changed.

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The steamer Umatilla, which arrived Sunday from San Francisco carried an assorted cargo consigned to Seattle and the leading British Columbia cities. Among the principal exports were the following: 12,500 pounds dried fruits, 1,596 boxes fresh fruits, 2650 pounds raisins, 90 packages fresh vegetables, 151 gallons wine, 29,535 pounds malt, 4,233 pounds rice, 6 cases paste, 12 packages groceries and provisions, 500 pounds cheese, 1,606 pounds coffee, 12, 267 pounds beans, 120 gallons whiskey, 11 cases table preparations, 53 cases canned goods, 2,636 pounds meals, 107 sacks potatoes, 71 packages onlons, 6 bales leather, 12 packages onlons, 6 bales leather, 12 packages pipe and fittings, 6 bundles paper, 5 packages hats, 1 package machinery, 2 bales dry goods, 31 cases drugs, 12,003 pounds soda, 2 cases sewing machines, 4 crates electrical goods, 21,375 pounds bitumen, 104 packages roofing material.

The steamer also carried 155 packages tank material enroute to Dawson, N. W. T.

The Pacific Mail Company's new liner

Steamer Thistle returned yesterday from her trip to Ladysmith for coal, and is now getting ready for a lengthy cruise along the eastern shores of the island, as far as Campbell river, with a large party, who will be the guests of Mr. James Dunsmuir.

Steamer Umatilla arrived Sunday from San Francisco and passed on to the Sound.

Steamer City of Puebla sailed for San

the Sound.

Steamer City of Puebla sailed for San Francisco Sunday evening with a large number of passengers.

Steamer J. L. Card is loading 500 tons of nitrates from the British bark Harold at the outer wharf, to be taken, to Departure bay for the Hamilton Powder Company.

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Mr. R. Dunsmuir denies the reports in the Sound press to the effect tha has been seeking for a steamer there for the Alaska ore carrying trade.

A telegram received yesterday from London reported that the British ship Lyderhorn, from Hamburg for Seattle, was aground in the River Elbe, 'lying in a bad position.

Steamer Unican arrived last evening from the Fraser river with a large party of Indian fisher folk, bound for Tacoma to work in the hop fields. They went over to Tacoma on the Whatcom last night.

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Mr. Goldwin Smith has written the following letter to Mr. H. Bourassa, M. P. for Labelle:

The Grange, Toronto, August, 1904.
Dear Mr. Bourassa: The retirement of Mr. Monet, I regret to say, deprives you of the one colleague who had the courage to join you in order to resist Canada's participation in the Boer war. That war, ignoble in its real motives, disastrous in its course, and miscrable in its results, was made in spite of the most sacred pact and for an evidently false pretext. This war which England already regrets and which more than anything else, since the death of Joan of Are, had tarnished the national honor. In order, in fact, to Justify it the Canadian people were basely deceived.

"As an Englishman, I am proud of the battles my country has won in the service of the nations and of justice. I am also proud of her pacific triumphs, for one of the most noble she has ever won was the abolition of slavery. This triumph, however, has lately been tarnished by the re-establishment of slavery in South Africa. Neither is the glory of England enhanced by destroying the independence of secondary states, nor when, with the use of improved arms she decimates unevillized peoples and races as brave as her own, and which contain the germs perhaps of future nations. The cause of the Dutch in South Africa resembles that of your own comparitions in Canada, but fortunately for your people the Liberal party was then dominant in Great Britain.

"When they speak of Great Britain and of the duty incumbent upon us to aid in her armaments and her wars let us always remember that it is not the British nation, but the party which is now in power. This party came to power by appeals to warlike passions, and it retains it against the manifest will of the people.

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der to sustain the military enterprises drawn into the empire's wars. of the imperialist party of Great Britain your compatriots act in the best interests of the masses of the British people, several millions of whom scarces ly exist, and who cannot stand being deprived of their poor morsel of food, to carry on the wars of the empire. No one in the full enjoyment of his mental faculties can imagine that we are really threatened by American aggression. Thousands of your contrymen are employed in the factories of New England, and do they find symptoms of hostility

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